

## PATENT

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Kindly amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A trailer comprising:

an articulated frame having at least a pair of transversely opposed wheels rotatable about an axis of rotation, said articulated frame including a tilt frame pivotable about a tilt pivot axis and a draft tongue pivotally connected to said tilt frame for pivotal movement about an articulation axis located forwardly of said tilt pivot axis; and

a bed frame supported on said articulated frame for selective pivotal movement relative to said articulated frame about a dump pivot axis oriented rearwardly of said tilt pivot axis, said bed frame being selectively movable with said tilt frame about said tilt pivot axis.

2. (Original Claim) The trailer of claim 1 wherein said bed frame is also connected to said articulated frame by a connection apparatus positioned forwardly of said tilt pivot axis to restrict pivotal movement of said bed frame relative to said tilt frame, said articulated frame including a locking device selectively coupling said tilt frame to said draft tongue to restrict pivotal movement of said tongue relative to said tilt frame about said articulation axis.

3. (Original Claim) The trailer of claim 2 wherein said bed frame moves vertically relative to said draft tongue when pivoting about said tilt axis and when pivoting about said dump axis, said tilt frame moving vertically relative to said draft tongue only when said bed frame pivots about said tilt axis.

4. (Original Claim) The trailer of claim 3 further comprising:

an actuator mechanism supported on said tongue and coupled to said bed frame to